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PROFESSOR THOMAS HARRISON MONTGOMERY, JR.

THOMAS HARRISON MONTGOMERY, JR., was born in New York City March 5, 1873, and died in Philadelphia March 19, 1912. Within this brief span of years he accomplished much; by the strength and manliness of his character he exerted a deep influence on all who knew him, by the extent and value of his scientific work he has left a lasting impress on his chosen science of zoology. This biographical sketch has been prepared as a tribute to the memory of a friend and colleague and in the hope that a more intimate acquaintance with his life and work may be welcomed by all who knew him either in person or through his writings.

In inheritance and education Professor Montgomery was unusually favored; he came of a distinguished family and his environment and training were of the best. The Montgomery family came to America from Ayrshire and settled in New Jersey in 1701. Among the paternal ancestors of Professor Montgomery were many distinguished clergymen, lawyers and business men. One of his great-great-grandfathers was William White, "the first bishop of English consecration in the United States." Through his mother, Anna Morton, he was descended from a line of distinguished physicians and scientists; his grandfather, Dr. Samuel George Morton, was one of the founders of the modern science of anthropology and was president of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia from 1849 to 1851. Professor Montgomery sometimes spoke of Dr. Morton in a way which indicated that he had been deeply